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SUBJECT: EL SALVADOR: INL MONTHLY ACTIVITIES REPORT FOR  
OCTOBER 2006

[1](#)1. (U) The following summarizes Embassy INL activities in  
October 2006.

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ILEA  
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[1](#)2. (U) ILEA staff continued supervising the renovation of the  
ILEA - Santa Tecla facility, and made preparations to host an ILEA  
course in November 2006.

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NARCOTICS INTERDICTION  
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[1](#)3. (U) Operations: Officers of the Anti-Narcotics Police  
(DAN) at the INL-constructed vehicle inspection facility in  
El Amatillo inspected 1,066 cars, 1,339 passenger buses, and  
600 commercial freight trucks, resulting in the arrest of  
55 individuals for narcotics trafficking and the seizure  
of 586 grams of crack and 1.7 kilograms (kg) of heroin. In all  
operations throughout the country, the INL-supported DAN seized  
24.5kg of cocaine and 40 grams of crack, and arrested 10 individuals  
for trafficking offenses.

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MONEY LAUNDERING  
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[1](#)4. (U) Operations: The INL-supported Financial  
Investigations Unit (FIU) received 20 Suspicious Activities  
Reports and opened 3 new investigations. 1 person was arrested and  
\$6,943.23 was seized.

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HUMAN SMUGGLING/TRAFFICKING AND TRANSIT SECURITY  
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[1](#)5. (U) Operations: The INL-supported Border Police  
(Fronteras) arrested 24 individuals for human smuggling and  
10 suspects for trafficking in persons. Police operations  
rescued 11 minors in the process of being smuggled or  
trafficked. 34 persons were prosecuted for this offense.  
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